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Applicant(s): Ramzi YEHIA et al.

Serial No.: 09/757,227

**For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MANAGING AND CORRELATING
ORDERS IN A MULTILATERAL ENVIRONMENT**

Enclosed are the following:

Transmittal Letter (1 pg.); and Amendment and Election (4 pgs.)

Docket No.: 515-A00-001

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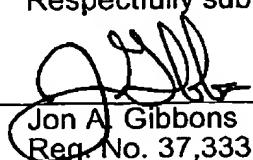
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	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Fee
Total Claims <i>(Small Entity)</i>	6	-	24	0	18.00 (9.00)	0
Independent claims <i>(Small Entity)</i>	2	-	6	0	86.00 (43.00)	0
Multiple Dependent <i>(Small Entity)</i>	0	-	0	0	290.00 (145.00)	0
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Respectfully submitted,

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